

## BYRD-ADA OPERA HOUSE!

One Night Only—Wednesday, Dec. 23

The Eminent Actor, MR. GEO. WESSELS,

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MISS MILDRED HALL,

In the Great Melodrama "Lady Audley's Secret"

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## WANTS.

COFFAGE FOR RENT—Apply to Mrs. A. G. Hill.

WANTED—Man to learn barber trade. For catalogue explains how we teach it. Apply, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Louisville, Mo.

WANTED—Manager for branch office, we want to locate here in Vinita. Address with references. Morris Wholesale House, care of paper.

ARM FOR RENT—120 acres, 80 acres in cultivation; good improvements; 12 miles from Vinita, 4 miles from Adair. Address: J. P. Moore, Vinita.

TO RENT—House on Canadian avenue, across the street south of L. P. Smart. J. H. Milford.

LOST—One pair of nose glasses. Return to W. C. Chamberlin and get reward.

FINE INVESTMENT—Will sell one or two acres of a twenty acre mining claim, situated by an experienced miner, in Wichita Mountains, on Otter Creek. A very rich gold and ore. Mrs. Josie A. Ray, Vinita, I. T. Western Hotel room.

FOR RENT—3 room house on South William street, 3 blocks from public fountain. J. H. Milford.

FOR RENT—New 5 room house in the east part of town. A. L. Churchill.

FOR RENT—small farm for next year. 1 1/2 miles from Vinita. E. M. Skinner, Ratcliff.

## LOCAL NOTES

Santa at Frazee's.

See Burns for fine china ware.

Finest jewelry at Foreman's.

New line of pictures at Frazee's.

A. L. Churchill is with us again.

Burns has every thing in the toy line.

Full line of F. F. O. G. can goods at Harrison's.

Walker hangs your paper if it is done.

Fresh butter and fat chickens at Weir Grocery.

For high grade work see Walker, the painter.

C. V. Belew, now living in the Miami country was in the city today.

Compare my work and prices with others. Walker.

Every thing you can call for—Santa Claus is surely at Burns.

The Chieftain's telephone is 44 and the paper wants the news.

Painting, paperhanging and high grade wood finish. Walker.

Sweet, mixed, sour and oil pickles—Garrison's, he sells for cash.

If you want good butter and fat chickens go to F. G. Cowan.

W. B. Badger's family went to Ft. Gibson this morning for the holidays.

Our are good heaters—Bucks and Carter Oak. Darrough Hardware Co.

Read our advertisement in this paper. Frazee.

The original Cole's air-tight has more copies than any stove on the market today. Why?

The crowning feature of Cole's Hot Blast is the lower air tight door. This is the feature the world be "just as good" cannot imitate.

Our line of heaters is still complete and our prices as low as our competitors. Darrough Hardware Co.

If you wish to please your wife, buy her a set of "Rogers 1847" knives, forks and spoons.—Darrough's.

The delightful weather we wished might continue over the holidays seems threatening to leave us.

This office has a supply of mounting board in three colors, cut any size desired. Orders solicited.

Worthless things are not imitated, merit and quality are; Cole's Hot Blast have more imitations than any stove made.

Foley's Honey and Tar positively cures all throat and lung diseases. Refuse substitutes.

Don't be imposed upon by taking substitutes offered for Foley's Honey and Tar. People's drug store.

Will McCollum entertained his Christian Sabbath school class at his home to the Stretch residence last night.

Sullivan's cream is for sale by Chapman & Briggs. Give them your order this week for X mas. so they can get it in good time.

Dr. Foreman has for several years been at the head of the class in the matter of holiday goods and this year is no exception.

## BRADLEY'S BOOK STORE

## RAYMOND BUILD'G

Come to Headquarters for Lowest Prices.

Finest Line of

## STATIONERY

In the City.

## HOLIDAY BOOKS

Furniture sundries for Christmas at Frazee's.

Buy your "Rogers 1847" silver ware of Darrough Hardware Co.

Our trade on Cole's original hot blast has been better this fall than ever, while trade in general has been quiet, which shows that merit wins.

There will be prayer meeting in the new Presbyterian church tonight at 7:30.

I handle all kinds of feed. Give me a trial. F. G. Cowan.

Our heaters are the oldest, best, heatiest, and savers on the market. Darrough Hardware Co.

Steady, even heat, is essential to good health. The original Cole's air tight gives you this.

Having opened a new stock of groceries would be glad to see old friends and new ones. Cowan.

J. F. Murphy's family were on the wrecked Frisco train Monday morning but escaped injury.

See the new line of up-to-date pictures in the window at Frazee's.

All prices guaranteed at Frazee Hardware & Furniture Co.

See J. C. Gray before buying your mules. He can sell you any kind you want.

We still have heaters to suit your pocketbook, coal and see. Darrough Hardware Company.

Why sacrifice. We guarantee our goods and prices are right. Darrough Hardware Co.

E. C. Ghoramley and wife came up from Pensacola today to do their holiday trading.

You will find Cowan one door south of his old stand with a new stock of groceries and all kinds of produce.

Don't fail to select one of the beautiful pictures from the show window at Frazee's.

For rent, 3 room house just south of Ned Shanahan's, 2 blocks from public fountain. M. E. Milford.

See J. C. Gray before selling your mules, at red barn two blocks north of public well.

Mrs. John Parks who received an injury a few days ago from a fall is not resting so well today.

An X mas dinner is not complete without some of Stella's fancy cream, at Chapman & Briggs.

Butter, eggs, chickens and all kinds of produce always on hand. Delivered promptly. F. G. Cowan.

Stella's cream is put up in bricks, and all kinds of shapes for soups or dinner; at Chapman & Briggs.

Rock-ribbed, rock-ribbed, Darrough Hardware Store, quack! quack! quack!

Mrs. Dr. Frayser entertained a number of her younger friends last night with a dance.

Don't buy any jewelry until you have looked through Foreman's stock.

Mr. Editor: Please tell Santa Claus that we have a nice line of skates and toy rifles.—Darrough Hardware Co.

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Furniture for Xmas at prices below competition at Frazee's.

Col. Tom Needles of the Dawes commission passed up the road last night en route home to Illinois to spend the holidays.

Some stoves have the name on the leg, but the name of Cole's Original Hot Blast is on the minds of the people.

If you have trouble with your biscuits try one sack of S. & P. flour, \$1.15 per sack at Garrison's, he sells for cash.

Prof. Hollingsworth came up from Adair yesterday to see his wife off on her way home for a holiday visit, and he himself will go to Ketchum to spend the week with his brother, Dr. Hollingsworth.

Fine Maple trees, 6 to 12 feet in height at the Mays farm, for sale by the single tree or by the hundred or the thousand.

Don't get lunched on a stove because it is on the bargain counter; an imitation is dear at any price. Ed Lee sells the original Hot Blast, the one they all try to imitate.

The Ratcliff-Sanders Wholesale Grocery Co. of this city has recently taken over entire the Muskogee branch house which has heretofore been known as the Gill-Sanders.

Don't miss us when you are looking for Christmas presents. We have the useful goods. Frazee Hardware & Furniture Co.

Notice.

Bring your holiday packages to American Express office; they insure you best service. Don't forget, and send them in plenty of time, to avoid the X mas rush. Office, Wright Shoe Store.

C. M. Douglass, Agent.

TOLD AFTER ALL.

Might as Well Have Read the Letter Without Any Objection Being Raised.

It is told how a happy couple were honeymooning in the country when the first packet of letters from home arrived, and the husband proposed to open one addressed to his wife, relates London Tit-Bits.

"Certainly not," she said, firmly. "But, Philippi," he remonstrated, "surely you are not going to have any secrets from me now that we are married?"

"I shall not have any secrets from you, but Phyllis might," his wife said. "That letter is hers, not mine. I shall probably let you read it after I have, but not till I am sure that Phyllis has told me nothing but what she would be willing for you to know."

"Still, doesn't it imply a lack of confidence when a wife won't show her letters to her husband?"

"Not at all. The lack of confidence is shown by the husband when he demands to see his wife's letters."

This was unanswerable, and Mr. Grant sank back in his chair with amused delight in his wife's perfect unconsciousness of having said a good thing.

Presently she added:

"I told you so! Here is something Phyllis wouldn't want you to know."

"Then why are you going to tell me?"

"I'm not going to tell you what it is. You are only to know there is something you can't know—at present."

"Phyllis is engaged," Mr. Grant remarked.

"And what if she is? You are not to know to whom."

"To Ratcliff," hazarded her husband.

"I didn't say so."

"But you don't say she isn't."

"No, could I say she isn't when she—"

"Is? I really think, my dear, you might as well let me read that letter."

Magistrate—Madam, your husband charges you with assault.

Honoria—Yes, your worship: I asked him if he would ever cease to love me, and he was so slow at answering that I hit him in the eye with a mop. I'm only a woman, your worship (tears) and a woman's life without love is a mere blight.—London Tit-Bits.

He Found a Cure

R. H. Foster, 318 S. 2d street, Salt Lake City, writes: "I have been bothered with dyspepsia or indigestion for 21 years, have tried many doctors without relief, but I have found a cure in Herbine. I recommend it to all my friends, who are afflicted that way, and it is curing them, too. 50c at People's drug store."

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REMO, OKLA., May 11, 1908.

Wine of Cardui absolutely does cure sick women. I consider it the most valuable medicine, and it is the cheapest cure any sick woman can use, as it takes a rule, only a few bottles to effect a complete and lasting cure. I especially recommend it for uterine or ovarian troubles, inflammation and ulceration, painful profuse or scanty menstruation and it is a most valuable adjunct to use during the gestative period, insuring easy childbirth and speedy recovery.

It should have a place in every home as it is a true friend to wife, mother and maiden and I most heartily recommend it.

Dr. E. Buchanan

WRITER AND LECTURER.

Dr. Mrs. Buchanan is an authority on the science of medicine and certainly appreciates the great work physicians are doing for the relief of sufferers. But this does not deter her from expressing her views in praise of Wine of Cardui.

Mrs. Buchanan's high intelligence and long and successful experience render her advice of great value. Wine of Cardui regulates menstruation, cures bearing-down pains and relieves suffering women of the pain and misery to which their sex is heir. You have the word of Dr. Buchanan and thousands of other eminent women that Wine of Cardui will completely cure you.

All druggists sell \$1.00 bottles Wine of Cardui.

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# ITS EASY TO BUY HERE

Our stocks are so big you find what you want—our service so prompt you don't have to wait—our prices so low you decide on the spot. Then you know that whatever you buy is the best you can find in Vinita.

## Some Special Christmas Values

Men's Suits, Men's Overcoats

Smoking Jackets, Boys' Suits

Boys' Overcoats, Child's Overcoats

Collars and Cuffs, Handkerchiefs

Hose, Suspenders, Underwear

Shirts, Vests, white and fancy

Neckwear, Mufflers, Hats

Jersey Jackets, Gloves

Jewelry, Umbrellas, Etc

# RATCLIFF'S

The Youth's Companion and the Weekly Chieftain one year for \$2.00. dw

California, the Beautiful.

Now's your chance—cheap rates (\$25) from Indian Territory stations to California! Tickets on sale daily until November 30th. Tourist car, through to San Francisco, leaves St. Louis on "The Katy Flyer" Tuesdays of each week passing Indian Territory stations Wednesdays. Ask for tour book and other information. Address "KATY," Suite L, The Wainwright, St. Louis, Mo.

A Bargain for Home-seeker

An eight room dwelling with basement, good barn, trees, shrubbery and five acres of fine garden land. Would rent for one year to right party. See Campbell-Marrs Real Estate Co.

A number of Vinita young people are home from the schools for the holidays.

In the United States Court in the Indian Territory, Northern district thereof sitting at Vinita, January term, 1904, in the matter of

the estate of Frank M. Cawood et al. No. 294 probate.

NOTICE

To Frank M. Cawood and Elizabeth Brown, nee Cawood.

You will take notice that on the 18th day of January, 1904, I will apply to the Honorable Joseph A. Gill, judge of the Northern district of the Indian Territory, for leave to make final settlement of my guardianship account and for my final discharge as your guardian.

Samuel P. Parks, Guardian.

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The very Latest in Electric Lighting, Meridian Lamps, White Light, High Candle Power, Low Current Consumption.

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This is the Kind of Santa Claus We Will Give to Every Customer FROM DEC. 12th to 24th.



One 5c bar of Lenox Soap and a nice 3-foot stick with every dollar's worth of groceries.

Also one pound of 35c Hecklar coffee with every \$10.00 order.

We have a full line of up-to-date groceries, and we are prepared to supply your necessary wants for Xmas. Our prices are the lowest.

Produce same as cash.

Don't forget the date Dec. 12th to 24th.

## Weir Bros.' Grocery,

Phone 164.

Second door south of postoffice.